THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMEN (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) The NCR Planning Board has submitted investment proposals amounting to Rs. 2840 crores for the 8th Five Year Plan for consideration of the Planning Commission.

(b) The proposals of the Board, *inter- alia, include development of* 8 priority towns|complexes (Panipat, Rohtak, Palwal, Rewari-Dharuhera-Bhiwadi Complex, Meerut, Hapur, Bulandsher-Khurja Complex & Alwar), six DMA towns (Faridabad-Ballabhgarh, Bahadurgarh, Gurgaon. Ghaziabad-Loni, NOIDA and Kundli) and five countermegnet Areas (Hissar, Patiala, Barilly, Gwalior and Kota).

(c) and (d) The Eighth Plan is yet to be finalised by the Planning Commission.

Revival Plan for National Projects Construction Corporation

@2685. SHRI N. E. BALARAM: SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA:

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the joint employees forum, of the National Project. Construction Corporation Limited has submitted a revival plan for the company; and

(b) if so. the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYA CHARAN SHUKLA): (a) and (b) The revival plan submitted by Joint Employees Forum of National Projects Construction Corporation Limited broadly seeks realisation of an amount of Rs. 24 crores and award of new works worth Rs. 150 crores with Government assistance by March, 1992; increase in cash credit limit by Rs. 20 crores till March, 1993; structural adjustment in organisational set up and setting up of a governing body comprising of representatives of employees to manage the affairs of the Corporation through a Board comprising of technical and professional managers.

Reopening of stationery office

2686. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 1580, given in the Rajya Sabha on the 6th December, 1991 and state:

(a) whether Government have since taken a decision to restart the functioning of Government of India Stationery Office; and

(b) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Revival Plan for NPCC

2687. SHRI P. UPENDRA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the employees of the National Projects Construction Corporation have submitted a viability plan for the revival of the company by proposing to run it through worker's cooperative and by hiring professional managers to run the company; and

(b) if so what is the reaction of Government to the suggestion and what progress has been made in regard to the viability revival?

@Previously Unstarred Question 1273, transferred from the 5th March, 1992.